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Hockey Team Executive Getting Into Action

Issuing Season Tickets for League Games in Coleman to Finance Start of Local Players.

There is a chance for every man who wants to see Coleman represented in the Crow's Nest Pass intermediate league to give his share of support by buying a season ticket for the six home games against the three other teams in the league.

The executive does not intend to go around begging for subscriptions and listening to all kinds of tales of woe and past experiences, but it does ask that as many as possible purchase these tickets at a cost of \$2.00. The single admissions to all league games in any town is set at 35¢ for adults. The club starts the season without a cent. An executive has taken hold to give the team a start, and it requires money to purchase uniforms. From the proceeds of the sale of these tickets the rink company receives 35 per cent, and the hockey club 65 per cent. Any person may purchase a ticket, and this is a straight business appeal which has been heartily endorsed by many in town.

Coleman's first game is at Hillcrest on Monday next. The list of league games is given below, and the first game to be played here is on Dec. 20, when Bellevue will line up against the Coleman Canadians. Cut out the schedule for reference:

First Series

Dec. 17—Coleman at Hillcrest.
Dec. 18—Blairmore at Bellevue.
Dec. 20—Bellevue at Coleman.
Dec. 21—Hillcrest at Blairmore.
Dec. 25—Coleman at Bellevue.
Dec. 28—Blairmore at Hillcrest.
Jan. 1—Hillcrest at Coleman.
Jan. 4—Coleman at Blairmore.
Jan. 7—Bellevue at Hillcrest.
Jan. 8—Blairmore at Coleman.
Jan. 9—Hillcrest at Bellevue.
Jan. 11—Bellevue at Blairmore.

Second Series

Jan. 14—Hillcrest at Blairmore.
Jan. 15—Bellevue at Coleman.
Jan. 17—Blairmore at Bellevue.
Jan. 18—Coleman at Hillcrest.
Jan. 21—Bellevue at Blairmore.
Jan. 22—Hillcrest at Coleman.
Jan. 24—Coleman at Bellevue.
Jan. 25—Blairmore at Coleman.
Jan. 29—Hillcrest at Bellevue.
Jan. 31—Coleman at Blairmore.
Feb. 1—Bellevue at Hillcrest.

ADVERTISING DOES PAY

Who is the better qualified to judge of the value of advertising—the small, self-contained merchant who never advertised and therefore from the dearth of his experience says "advertising doesn't pay" or the president of the Campbell Soup Company who speaks as follows:

"In 1898 the output of the Campbell Soup Company was 500,000 cans for the entire year.

"Now, 18,000,000 cans are produced in one week.

"In 1898 the expense for salesmen was 7½ per cent, and for advertising 14 per cent of the selling price.

"Now—the cost for salesmen is 2½ per cent and for advertising less than 3 per cent, making a total selling cost of 5 per cent, or 2½ per cent less than it cost for salesmen alone in 1898.

"The advertised price for Campbell's Soup is twelve cents a can anywhere in the United States. This pays for the most of materials, the manufacturing charges, the transportation cost, and the profits of jobbers and retailers.

"The cost of advertising in a single can of soup is seventeenths one-hundredths of one cent.

"Advertising, and advertising alone, has made this possible!"—From the Dummy (Hudson Valley Paper Co., Albany, N.Y.)

The prize-winners' at the Oddfellows' annual Rebekah whist drive on Saturday were Mrs. A. E. Bowes, Mrs. A. Destable, Messrs. J. W. Shiedt and Mr. Colgross. Fifteen tables were in play.

AIR MAIL SERVICE INAUGURATED ON MONDAY

Over 16,000 Letters Mailed from Edmonton and Calgary on First Flight.

Enquiries at the local post office as to the support given to the trial air mail service between Edmonton, Calgary and Winnipeg show that with the exception of some letters sent by The Journal no other mail matter was sent. This service is being tried by the post office department to find if it will warrant a continuance. From Edmonton 12,500 letters were sent, from Calgary 7,981, while from Winnipeg 16,000 letters were sent. Christmas mail for Great Britain and France was included.

Air mail stamps may be purchased at the local post office at 5¢ each.

MAN COMMITTED SUICIDE ON SATURDAY NIGHT AT EAST COLEMAN

A miner named Yaverick went home at about 9 p.m. on Saturday evening, after conversing with acquaintances at the Grand Union hotel, and very shortly after a friend came excitedly to the hotel asking the proprietor to telephone for the police, and in his excitement he did not clearly state whether Yaverick had shot himself or had been murdered. Wild rumors floated around for a considerable time, but investigation by the police proved that the unfortunate man had taken his own life by placing the muzzle of a 30-30 rifle in his mouth and pulling the trigger, blowing away part of his head.

Cornor Alex. M. Morrison decided that it was unnecessary to hold an inquest. He is survived by a married daughter and two others living at home. He had been employed for some years at the McGillivray mine.

One dollar invested in a year's subscription to the improved Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal will bring the farmer better dividends than one hundred dollars in the bank. That Coleman merchants are confident of supplying a large share of a glum look because the dollars the Christmas needs of the people is not rolling in by the bucket. One clearly demonstrated in the fine stock business man stated that in 10 months that are being arranged and the attractive window displays. In fact this twelve months of 1927, so that sounds

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THE WHOLE EMPIRE WATCHES



The illness of King George V. has brought envoys from all parts of the world. The Prince of Wales made a 6,000 mile trip from Central Africa in ten days to reach the bedside of his father.

Coleman Stores Have Fine Stock and Attractive Displays for Christmas Trade

Coleman tradesmen are going to receive their share of the Christmas window displays, and a great deal of improvement in the matter of store courtesy, honest values and a more important aid in selling. The looms on the horizon busier times prospect's interest. Backed up by the return of large numbers of store courtesy, honest values and a box cars from the grain carrying desire to please, the local retailer has routes to which they have been converted since the close of the summer. That Coleman merchants are confident of supplying a large share of a glum look because the dollars the Christmas needs of the people is not rolling in by the bucket. One clearly demonstrated in the fine stock business man stated that in 10 months that are being arranged and the attractive window displays. In fact this twelve months of 1927, so that sounds

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Making Movies of Mountains



Looking down into Lakes in the Clouds near Lake Louise. Right, Ernst Lubitsch directs the action. Left, Barrymore and Camille Horn.

The joke is on John Barrymore.

Under the direction of Ernst Lubitsch, he, Camille Horn, Mona Rico and several other screen celebrities were to spend three weeks at Lake Louise in the production of an all-new picture, "King of the Mountains".

With him too, a lot of Hollywood snow. This was fine business for the railway companies, but almost every scenic background which might be desired. The low rolling foothills give the color for the cowboy variety. Somewhere, although perhaps Chateau Lake Louise, they looked across the lake to where the mountains rise, the peaks and pine-clad valleys, a short saddle ride from the Chateau they found plenty of snow, and here Mr. Barrymore is said to have adopted the professional Swiss guides by his side. In portions of the picture he did not mountaineer he scorned the use of a double and a stick, both his ankles. Robert Boworth and Victor Varconi support Barrymore in the picture staged at Lake Louise.

John Barrymore is one of the few Americans to hold a Swiss Government certificate for the climbing of Mont Blanc. He therefore knows whereof he speaks when he says that the Canadian Rockies, for beauty, charm and thrill, must not be surpassed.

During the past few years quite a number of moving picture companies have "discovered" the Canadian Rockies. While headquarters say at Banff or Lake Louise, there are many scenes of almost every scenic background which might be desired. The low rolling foothills give the color for the cowboy variety. Somewhere, although perhaps Chateau Lake Louise, they looked across the lake to where the mountains rise, the peaks and pine-clad valleys, a short saddle ride from the Chateau they found plenty of snow, and here Mr. Barrymore is said to have adopted the professional Swiss guides by his side. In portions of the picture he did not mountaineer he scorned the use of a double and a stick, both his ankles. Robert Boworth and Victor Varconi support Barrymore in the picture staged at Lake Louise.

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SCHOOLS CLOSED OWING TO SICKNESS AMONG CHILDREN

Nearly One-Third of Pupils Absent on Monday—Medical Officers Advise Closing.

The epidemic of a mild form of influenza which caused nearly 240 children to be absent from school on Monday determined the medical health officer, Dr. Borden, to advise the school board to close the schools until he considers it advisable to give permission for re-opening. Besides the pupils being absent, several of the teachers have also been on sick list.

Adults as well as children have suffered and the local doctors have been attending a very large number during the past two weeks. The cold spell of sub-zero weather on Dec. 8-10 followed by a mild spell appears to have caused a great deal of sickness in town.

RURAL DEANERY OF MACLEOD HELD ANNUAL MEETING HERE

Archdeacon Swanson Stresses Importance of Mission Work Urging People to Give Support.

The clergy of the Rural Deanery of MacLeod met in St. Alban's parish hall on Wednesday last week to discuss assessments in their various parishes for the coming year. The Diocesan office has requested that an increase be made throughout the Deanery, and the clergy and lay delegates will report back to these delegates the result of the conference and the proposals made.

Present were Rev. A. D. Currie, Rural Dean, who acted as chairman; Ven. Archdeacon Swanson, of Lethbridge; Rev. Mr. Powell and Mr. Pearson of Macleod; Rev. Neville Blunt of Pincher Creek, and H. T. Hallwell of Coleman.

The ladies of the W. A. served supper in the hall, for which a vote of thanks was tendered by the visitors.

Following the afternoon meeting, evensong was held, the sermon being given by Archdeacon Swanson, who spoke very interestingly on mission work of the Anglican church in various countries, and of his own experiences as a missionary in Yukon territory. He made an earnest appeal for all church people to contribute towards the funds for this important branch of the church's work.

Personal and Local

Coleman Canadian hockey team play their first game at Hillcrest on Monday, Dec. 17.

Prize-winners at the K. of P. hall on Saturday evening were Mrs. H. Snowdon and Mrs. J. Hart; Messrs. J. Denhoff, A. Phillips and S. Hibbert.

A particularly interesting window display is that of Laslett & Kerr's store. One little child was so impressed that it asked its mother if it was in Calgary.

Sam Lee, the genial little laundry-man living next to the hospital, intends visiting his family in China. It is ten years since he saw them, so after spending about four years in Coleman he has decided to spend a few months' holiday in his native land. He recently introduced to his customers his "cousin", and on being asked what his name was, he replied "Jim Sam Lee". Sam will travel via C.P.R. boat from Vancouver to Hong Kong.

An exceptional attraction this weekend at the Palace theatre will be the stupendous picture "Ben Hur", one of the really magnificent productions which has much of historic interest. Coleman is fortunate to have the opportunity of seeing this picture, which has been booked at a very high cost. Comment by leading dailies in New York indicate that the picture made an impressive appeal there. It is a production that every man, woman and child should see.

BEN-HUR—The greatest wealth of Drama, Spectacle, Thrills, Awful Magnitude ever produced. See Ramon Novarro, Betty Bronson, May McAvoy and other stars. Palace, Friday and Saturday.

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"BEN-HUR" At Palace Theatre, Fri.-Sat. Dec. 14-15

Admission 50c, tax extra.

Children 25c, tax extra.

Matinee Friday and Saturday at 2 p.m., Admission 15c, including tax.

Special Music.

Dec. 13 the W.A. meets for election of officers. Dec. 14 choir practice. Dec. 16, Holy Communion at 9 a.m., evensong at 7 p.m.

In the vote of thanks last week the following were missed: The United Church for loan of chairs, also the Salvation Army and the fire hall.

The Christmas Tree, owing to sickness among so many children, will not be held till later in the season.

At the annual election of officers at the local branch of the Canadian Legion, the following were elected: President, G. H. Hartley; first vice-president, W. Smith; second vice-president, R. Lloyd; secretary-treasurer, R. Parry; executive committee, J. Yates, E. Moon, N. Davies, J. McCarney, J. Anderson, J. Taylor.



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What Is Prosperity?

In a recent address before a large gathering of merchants, Mr. Edward A. Filene, a leading merchant of Boston, discussed the rapid development and success of the "chain store," the problems now confronting wholesalers and retailers, and the policies which merchants in general must adopt if they are to survive in the new merchandising era upon which the world has entered. In the course of his address the question appearing at the head of this article arose: Said Mr. Filene:

"General business can be permanently prosperous only when millions of people—that is the masses—have buying power. Their purchases add to the prosperity of merchants, and the larger orders of merchants make the manufacturers prosperous, and factories running at higher capacity enable more workers to earn more money. It is a happy cycle in which prosperity begets prosperity. It is 'companionate prosperity' based on the buying power of the masses, because for any one of us to enjoy the greatest possible permanent prosperity, the masses of our citizens must have buying power."

"Prosperity," continued Mr. Filene, "is not wealth but buying power and this buying power must be enjoyed, not by a relatively few wealthy persons but by millions of consumers. If we merchants had the chance to distribute a billion dollars to the residents of our trade area, we would not use that power to create a thousand millionaires; we would rather divide it up among 100,000 buyers, giving each one \$10,000, or we might decide to give \$5,000 to 200,000 buyers. But however we divided this wealth we would not use our opportunity to make a few millionaires because the ordinary merchant cannot depend on the trade of the wealthy for his sales and profits."

"The business successes of the future are going to be made by those who produce and distribute commodities in terms of millions. But this can be done only if industry creates consumers as well as products. Prosperity is not concentrated wealth but distributed buying power."

How, then, is the average merchant to compete with the "chain stores" and the huge departmental stores, which are rapidly developing into chains of huge departmental stores? These latter buy in enormous quantities and at the lowest possible prices. Their turnover is prodigious, and because of that fact, an extremely small profit on each item means enormous profits in the aggregate.

In a word, future successful merchandising must be based on mass production, at low production costs, and low profits per article. Therefore waste cannot be tolerated in any form, including distribution. The "chain store" and the large departmental stores have been created in recognition of these facts.

The independent merchant must likewise realize and face the situation with which he is confronted, but in Mr. Filene's opinion, "Independent merchants can not only meet the chain competition but beat it through co-operative associations organized on the principles that have made the chain stores so successful. Then, with the personal management of the owner, they can out-do the chain stores because the invaluable element of personal management cannot be wholly secured from hired managers."

This is to say, independent merchants must join forces through the organization of co-operative associations for the purchase of goods and thereby buy more cheaply and enormously reduce distribution costs. But they must go farther than that, in Mr. Filene's opinion. They must individually and co-operatively wage warfare on all waste. "Merchandizing," he says, "is not a war between the independents and the chains, but a war against waste. Retailers must reduce costs if they hope to survive, for we are entering a period of competition in which a terrific fight is being waged for the consumer's dollar. Now food and rent take a large share of it; there is not much left for those of us who are selling other things. Our security lies in making the consumer's dollar bigger by eliminating waste—not only waste in distribution but wastes of every kind. Therefore, as merchants, we must take an interest in things not ordinarily thought to be any of our business—in fighting graft and special privilege, in improving health and housing conditions. They take toll from the consumer's dollar, and the more they take the less there is for us."

Here in Western Canada merchants should be in the forefront in endeavoring to reduce the fire loss, in combating noxious weeds which take their toll of tens of millions of dollars annually, and in actively co-operating with the farmer in all those things which will make agriculture a more paying proposition.

23 Universities In Canada

The latest tabulation of registrations at the 23 universities of Canada shows a total of 42,546 students, 26,569 men, and 15,977 women. The highest registration is at the University of Montreal with 9,749 followed by Laval at Quebec, with 5,644; McGill, at Montreal, 2,722; Toronto, 5,623; and Queen's at Kingston, Ontario, 3,442.

Drivers should always slow up at grade crossings because one can never tell just where that train will come.

It's pretty hard for some men to keep their wants down to their incomes.

World Wide Favorites For The Skin And Scalp

Regular use of Cuticura Soap, assiduously applied, keeps the complexion fresh and free from eruptions. The hair live and strong. Cuticura Powders are unexcelled in purity and are regarded by millions as unrivaled in the promotion of skin and hair health.

Sample Pack Free by Mail. Address Canadian Distributor, 100 King Street East, Toronto, Ont. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25¢.



Want To Ban Flyers

Los Angeles Poultry Keepers and Farmers Object to Noise

Airplane pilots in and around Los Angeles have a new worry.

First, they were ordered by a poultrymen's association to keep away from chicken yards, since roaring planes frightened the hens until they refused to lay eggs for weeks at a time. Then, residents around the airports threatened suits and sought injunctions because the propellers kicked up dust. Now, letters have begun to come to airport officials that planes be kept from flying over the studies.

"The airplanes make so much noise that we can't take 'tipples' without every scene sounding like a reproduction of a saw mill," one company wrote, "please tell your flyers to do some place else."

ST. VITUS DANCE

A Trouble That Usually Attacks Young Children

St. Vitus Dance is the name generally given to a disease described in medical books as "dyskinesia." This trouble usually attacks young children, though older people may be afflicted with it. The most common symptoms are a twitching of the face and hands, and when the gresses the twitching takes the form of spasms, in which the jerking motions may be confined to the face or the limbs may be affected. Frequently the speech is affected, and anything in the hands or walk steadily. In severe cases the speech is often affected. The disease is due to damage to the nerves, and reflexes through an unbalance blood supply. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been most successful in reaching this trouble through their specific action on the blood while it enlivens the nerves.

The following instance proves the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in this trouble. Mrs. Thomas Bowles, Bath, Ont., says:

"Williams' Pink Pills have been used in my family for years and always with good results. I believe they saved the life of my son. At ten years of age he grew very nervous and would not go to school. He developed into St. Vitus Dance. His legs and arms would jerk and twitch, then his speech was affected, and his condition became a little worse. I consulted Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to give them to him. By the time two boxes were used there was an improvement, and when I had used the time six boxes more were taken all traces of the trouble had disappeared, and he was well and strong. I have also given the pills to my growing son, and I know of his benefit, after watching and reading I may say that the same applies to grown-ups as well."

You can get these pills through any medical dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Must Pay Bills

Students in Manila Must Have Clean Record Before Graduation

Received board bills have been added to the prerequisites of degrees granted by the University of the Philippines.

Following loud complaints by owners of Manila boarding houses, dormitories and restaurants concerning the alleged prevalence of "deadbeats" among their student patrons, university authorities have announced that failure to pay bills will be considered ground for refusing graduation.

Examination of the list of student delinquents showed that the poor students virtually all had paid their bills, while the well-to-do—or at least extravagant—were often habitual "bad pay."

Cheek Colds with Minard's Liniment.

A Perishable Parcel

A 7 month old baby was part of one regular air mail parcel post sent to Guayaquil, Ecuador from Buenaventura, Colombia. The infant bore a tag marked "Perishable, please handle with care."

You was laughing happily when postal officials handed it to its father through the regular parcel window.

An excellent protection against worms can be got in Miller's Worm Powder. They render the stomach and intestines untenable to them. They heal the surfaces that have become inflamed by the attack of the worms and serve to maintain the strength of that has been undermined by the draughts that the worms have made upon it, and their operation is altogether health-giving.

Canada Live Stock

The total numbers of farm live stock in Canada, as in June, 1928, are estimated as follows: Horses, 3,376,284; milch cows, 3,792,522; other cattle, 5,000,750; total cattle, 8,735,272; sheep, 8,415,788; swine, 4,497,367; hens and chickens, 49,592,855; turkeys, 2,065,797; geese, 1,125,047; ducks, 995,840; total poultry, 53,779.

Minard's Liniment for Grippe.

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THE WRIGLEY MARATHON



William Wrigley, Jr., who says the next Wrigley marathon will be held in the waters of Lake Ontario as it is too cold for the swimmers. He has not decided, however, where it will be.

Inbred Love For Horses

No Doubt Regarding the Place That All Nobles Friend Hides In Affection Of Human Race

No one who has been to the Coliseum during the past week and has seen the immense audience that gathers nightly for the horse show can have any doubt regarding the place that the horse still holds in the affection of men and women. It is sometimes said that this is a mechanical age and that the ultimate doom of man's noble friend is written on the wall. It is not so. That the automobile has largely supplanted the horse in matters of transportation must be admitted, but the splendid animal is still being bred and cultivated for various purposes on a scale that most people little dream of. The various breeds that are shown at the Royal Winter Fair are doing their best to prove that nothing can destroy the love of good horses and good horsemanship seems to be an instinct of every human being. It may be an inherited characteristic, of course, having its origin far back in the days when the horse was the mighty factor in war and in peace and in the building up of civilization. Whatever its origin, it is there, and the Royal Winter Fair is doing its best to see that the instinct is cultivated and maintained.—Toronto Globe.

A Mechanical Cashier

New Invention Makes Accurate Change and Gives Receipt

A machine that calculates change delivers the right amount to the customer in a fraction of a second, and tot up the money received for the day or week was seen at the recent Inventors' Exhibition, in London.

It is different from a machine that simply pays out money from a key-board. The new invention does more; it does the thinking for the cashier or shopkeeper. If, for example, someone tendered £1 for a farthing bill, the operator presses the £1 stop key and the farthing sales key, and the machine delivers 19s. 11½d., including a neatly folded ten-shilling note and a dated receipt. A bell rings when a coin magazine is getting empty.

Two years were spent on drawings and calculations before a model was made, for there are 949 different amounts of money in the chart for a one-pound note, and several thousand different combinations in all of the tenders possible of one pound and less.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

New Hotel for Vancouver

Actual work on the construction of the Canadian National Railway hotel at Vancouver, commenced when Mayor L. T. Taylor blew the whistle to start excavation work. The new structure will be 15 stories with 800 rooms, and when completed early in 1931, will have cost more than \$1,000,000.

Sores Heal Quickly.—Have you a sore that refuses to heal? Then, try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It draws the skin tight and draws out the pus and prepares a clean way for the new skin. It is a recognized healer among oils and numbers of people can certify that it healed where properly applied.

The quantity of water underground beneath the crust of the earth's surface is nearly one-third the total volume of the oceanic waters.

Botanists say that no two leaves and no two blades of grass have ever been found to correspond exactly.

Keeping People On Land

Italian Farmers Cannot Move Into Cities Without Permission

Benito Mussolini has been bidding the big stick again—for the good of his country.

His latest decree is that agricultural workers in certain areas cannot move into the cities without special permission, and that former agricultural workers now in the cities must go back to the land.

That is a drastic method of coping with the problem of rural depopulation; too drastic for adoption in this country.

Yet there is something to be said for both sides of the question in these days of universal decline of the rural areas by the migration of agricultural workers to the urban areas and the bright lights.

The main objection to the Mussolini decree—and it is a very strong one—is that it is an interference with the liberty of the subject.

On the other hand, it is a good thing for the welfare of the state.

In nearly every country there are not enough people on the land. And there are too many people in the cities.

Cities are full of misfits. Boys brought up on farms bring for city life. Some succeed, and because of their rural upbringing, and because they are of the right fibre, they become successful men. Most of them, however, never rise out of the common ruck. They would have made better farmers than artisans.

Bento has the right idea, but perhaps, he has the wrong way of attaining it.

Reject Lovat Scheme

Government Of Canada Has Alternative Suggestions Under Consideration

The government of Canada, said Dr. Hon. L. C. Amery, secretary for the Dominions in the British House of Commons recently, has not accepted the scheme of immigration put forward by Lord Lovat, chairman of the Overseas Settlement Board, but alternative suggestions are under discussion.

The scheme sponsored by Lord Lovat provided for migration to Canada and called for Imperial, Canadian and provincial governments' co-operation. It was to have a system of loans to British youths and co-operation in providing cottages on the land. It was chiefly directed to greatly stimulating the family settlement schemes.

For Sprains and Bruises.—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It will reduce the swelling, that follows sprains and contusions, and draw the skin. It will take the ache out of a bruise by counteracting the inflammation. A trial will convince any who doubt its power.

Farmer (to horse-dealer)—"No I don't bear ye no malice; I only hope that when you are chased by a pack of ravening wolves you'll be drivin' that horse you sold me."

Picture Telegraph Service.—The picture telegraph service has been started between Berlin, Germany, and Vienna, Austria.

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Stock Breeder Is Honored

J. D. McGregor, of Brandon, is Paid Fitting Honor at Chicago

Signal honor was paid James D. McGregor, of Brandon, breeder of Aberdeen Angus cattle, and one of Manitoba's first citizens, at Chicago recently, when his portrait in oil was hung on the walls of the Saddle and Sirloin Club, an honor reserved specially for those who with the respect and esteem of the stockmen of North America by their prowess in the breeding of livestock beyond the usual sphere.

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Estimates Weight Of Earth

Chicago Man Revises Figures Given Thirtys Years Ago

With her daughter striving earnestly to reduce the old mother earth has just learned that she is some 502,000,000,000,000,000 tons heavier than had hitherto been known.

Dr. Paul R. Heyl, of the United States bureau of standards at Washington announced the revised figures in a speech at Cooper Union. Five years ago he set about the task of weighing the earth to get a result more exact than the estimate of six sextillion—the figure of six followed by 21 ciphers—was arrived at about 30 years ago by an English scientist and retired Jesuit in a Bohemian monastery, working independently. Dr. Heyl's calculations indicate the earth weighs somewhat more than six sextillion 502 quintillion tons.

The Last Asthma Attack may really be the last if prompt measures are taken. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will safeguard you. It will protect you from the most厉害的 passage and will help you to a healthy condition. It always relieves and its continued use often has a permanent effect. Why not get this remarkable remedy and continue its use? It is equally effective.

Japan Displays Sea Power

The greatest display of sea power ever gathered together in Far Eastern waters passed for inspection before the newly enthroned Emperor Hirohito. The grand entertainment review, approximately 80 fighting ships of all classes took part ranging from the great super-dreadnaughts Mutan and Nagato down to destroyers and gunboats.

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LOW RATE FROM BRITAIN WILL AID IMMIGRATION

Ottawa.—A \$50 rate for all British migrants to Canada from the United Kingdom and Northern Ireland has been agreed upon between the British government and the steamship companies, according to a statement issued by Hon. Robert Forke, minister of immigration.

The new rate does not affect the \$10 rate under the Empire Settlement scheme, which remains in force. The agreement rounds off the several conferences held in recent weeks in London, which were attended by W. J. Egan, deputy minister of immigration. It becomes effective on January 1, 1929.

The difference between the \$50 and the old rate of \$94 approximately will be absorbed by the British government and the steamship lines on a agreed basis.

The minister's statement follows:

"The British government has reached an agreement with the British Steamship Lines for the quotation of a special rate for British subjects normally resident in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, coming to Canada for permanent residence. Under normal conditions the ocean rate for third-class passengers from Great Britain to Canada is £18 15s., but under the agreement just concluded between the British government and the British Steamship Lines, such passengers, if British subjects, normally resident in Great Britain or Northern Ireland, will be able to come to Canada at the rate of £10, the difference between the normal rates being absorbed by the British government and the steamship lines on an agreed basis.

"The arrangement will come into effect on the first of January, 1929. In order to give it a fair trial it will continue in operation for two years, according to the understanding reached in London.

Telegraph Wire Sets Type For Newspaper

Despatches Transferred Into Machines By New Invention

Rochester, N.Y.—A telegraph wire operated two newspaper type-setting machines, here at the plant of the Rochester Times Union.

Despatches by wire were transferred mechanically directly into the machines, with human touch eliminated, and were recorded in lines of metal type, each as long as a news column is wide.

The object of the invention is to shorten the time and work required to transfer news from the place where it occurs to the printed page. It is designed to be another step in the development of the distribution of the printed word, which began when movable type was invented by Johannes Gutenberg, at Strasburg, in 1438.

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The sending was done in the demonstration room to machines on the opposite side of the room, which were operated simultaneously from the same wire. One was a linotype and the other an intertype.

Boy Takes Cattle Honors

Chicago.—Clarence Gaack, a 12-year-old school boy of State Center, Iowa, stepped in ahead of the most experienced professional beef cattle breeders of America, and took one of the highest cattle honors of the world when his yearling Hereford "Dick" was chosen as the grand champion steer of the International Livestock Exposition.

No Claims Recognized

London, Eng.—Great Britain has not recognized the claim of any foreign government to sovereignty over coastal waters beyond the three miles limit.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, foreign secretary, says,

Goose To Moose Jaw

Brandon, Man.—The resignation of City Manager A. W. E. Fawkes was accepted by the Brandon city council. Mr. Fawkes has accepted the city commissionership of Moose Jaw, where he will take up his duties January 1.

Anti War Treaty

Washington.—The Kellogg anti-war treaty was submitted to the Senate for ratification by President Coolidge.

Deplores War-Like Tendency

United States Attitude In Increasing Navy Is Criticized

London, Eng.—Field Marshal Sir William Robertson, former chief of the general staff, in a speech here declared that the U.S. "influenced by imperialistic tendencies" had taken means, whatever happens, to go or increasing her navy and her official utterances on the question of armaments not infrequently bearing a close resemblance to Germany's claims previous to the tragedy of 1914.

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Sir William said that the United States must be fully entitled to take her own course without care or thought for the interests and opinions of others, but it was nevertheless disquieting to him that she should attach much importance to the League of Nations or to the recent Kellogg renunciation of war pact or she would not be so anxious about her navy.

The nations seemed to have learned little from the experience of a decade ago, failing to see that war can never bring lasting peace, he said. The world is arming, but only by the infusion of a more generous frank and trustful spirit into the conduct of international affairs will the world be saved from drifting into another war.

Sir William's remarks were applauded.

Christmas Seal Sale

Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League Asking For Co-Operative Effort

Fort San.—It is announced by A. B. Cook, president and managing director, that the Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League for this year entering into a new phase of its work, with a positive and educational interest outside of the activities altogether.

The scheme carries with it provision for the examination of all children in homes where infection is known to exist, as well as all school children reported by the school officials showing signs of being under par or a breakdown.

The scheme is of such magnitude that it requires the active co-operation of all school teachers, all school officials, and physicians as well as the intelligent sympathy of the general public.

In order to meet the cost of the examination and care of children reported, a campaign for the sale of Seals is being carried into the schools, and they are being asked to form clubs, and to assist in the forming of a "School Children for School Children Fund," which will be used solely for their purpose, and will not be used to defray the cost of Seals. It is to last for the year to complete a comprehensive organization along the lines indicated to school teachers and school officials of the province, so for this year, a small supply of seals has been sent to each school for sale among the pupils.

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British House Of Commons Agrees To Consider Proposed Bill

London, Eng.—The House of Commons, by the narrowest of majorities agreed to consider a bill for the abolition of capital punishment and the substitution of penal servitude for life.

Commander Joseph Kenworthy, Laborite, asked leave to introduce such a bill and on a division being taken this was granted, 119 to 118, amidst some excitement over the closeness of the vote and loud cheers from supporters of the bill.

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Paris.—Madame Marthe Hanau, 22, and her former husband Lazare Bloch, were arrested and taken before an examining magistrate on charges of swindling. Investors of sums reported to total nearly 500,000 francs (\$20,000,000). Most of the victims are stated to be small investors.

Western Pioneer Dead

Vancouver, B.C.—Thomas Kernig, 75, a pioneer of the Canadian west, is dead here. He resided in the province of Manitoba for many years before coming to British Columbia.

Floods In Russia

Moscow.—The River Volga overflowed the banks in the neighborhood of Astrakhan, and 25 villages were submerged as a result of the storm which swept the Caspian Sea.

Soviets Asks Increase For National Defence

Additional Hundred Million Rubles Is Included In Budget

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company attended the dinner of the

Pilgrim's Society to celebrate the

signing of the peace pact for remo-

valization of war criminals.

British Foreign Secretary, Sir

Alanson B. Houghton, was guest, while others present were the Lord Chancellor, Viscount Cecil, of Chelwood, Lord Hardinge, and Lord Davidson, the former Archbishop of Canterbury, Lord Desborough presided.

Ambassador Houghton told the

guests that the 5,000 miles of unfor-

tified an unguarded United States

Canadian frontier are proof suffi-

cient to the world that two peoples can live

side by side not armed against each

other.

"This is an assurance," he said,

"that the peoples of the New World,

out of their own experience, may

properly offer to the peoples of the old.

Dangers and horrors of war have

been impressed upon both peoples.

"Canadians and the people of the

United States have demonstrated the

fact that they are safer and happier

without armaments and without pro-

blems which inevitably go with

war," he continued. "I do not

want to press the point too far."

Mr. Houghton went on, "but I say

you are there not a measure of truth

in what I've said?" He was not solid

ground for hope now that nations

have agreed to renounce the right to

use force and have undertaken to

reach peaceful states. I wonder if

the apparent necessity of maintaining

armaments may be found less

substantial than it now seems. Our

experience, at least, would appear to

that in that direction."

Sir Austen, making one of his first

appearances at a public function

since he returned from Canada and

the United States, seized upon the

theme of Mr. Houghton's speech and

evoked prolonged cheers when he cl

arried that unarmed frontier repres-

sents not only a line "which divides

us only to unite" Canada and the

United States, but stands in a similar

relation between the whole British Emp

ire and America.

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RETURNS TO CANADA

Saskatchewan Legislature

House Of Regina Opens With the Usual Ceremonies

Regina.—The fourth session of the sixth Legislature of Saskatchewan was opened with the usual ceremonies befitting the occasion.

A feature of the opening was the introduction of Dr. F. T. Waugh, recently elected to represent Arm River. The actual session lasted just long enough for the reading of the speech from the throne, probably the longest ever read in Saskatchewan the moving of the formal motions and the single introduction of the only new member. Following the adjournment the members and guests attended the usual reception in the library. Flowers in great profusion were laid by visitors.

With the usual reason an impression has been broadcast that the present session will be rather brief, those actually in a position to know can see no reason why that should be. In fact it is generally expected in well informed circles that the session will be just as long, if not longer than the average. It is fully expected to last seven weeks.

Will Inherit Large Estate

Two Young American Girls Related

To English Nobility

London, Eng.—Two little American girls are about to enter the English nobility and become part heirs to a \$15,000,000 estate. They are Isabel and Marjorie Meuser, 10 and 9 years old, respectively, who succeeded to Washington after being discovered to be the daughters of the Marquess of Orton Hall, Teesborough, England.

The children's father, Floyd G. Meuser, nephew of the Marchioness, died last February, and since then have been cared for by their stepmother, Mrs. Louise Meuser.

In probate court, Judge Henry Horner, granted a petition awarding the two children to the Marchioness that they might share in her vast estate.

Given First Reading

Women Members Of British House Sponsor Bill For Charity

London, Eng.—The first bill to be

sponsored entirely by women mem-

bers of the House of Commons was

presented in the House by Miss Mar-

gar Bonfield, Labor member for

Walsall and member of the settle-

ment committee. It would

allow public funds to go to charity and

assisting ships for the children of

poor stricken families in the coal

fields and other depressed areas. The

bill got a sympathetic reception and

was given first reading.

Conviction Quashed

Edmonton.—The conviction against

Vernon Edder, 21, sentence to

hang, Dec. 15, for the murder

of his mother, brother and two hired

men near Mannville, in July last,

was quashed by the appellate division

of the supreme court of Alberta. A

new trial was ordered. This will proba-

bly take place in January.

Burglars Get Haul

Victoria.—Burglars broke into the

offices of the Toupin Lumber Com-

pany here and blew open the safe

securing \$3,000 in cash and securities.

They Know Their Livestock

Toronto.—A special despatch from Buffalo printed in the Star states:

"Negotiations for a retroactive

treaty between the United States and Canada indicate here for al- leged violation of the national prohibition law, which is already under way at Ottawa, District Attorney Richard H. Templeton definitely announced.

"It has been tentatively decided

that the conference is to be held some

time in January between Canadian

and United States customs officials

to outline a treaty similar to that al-

ready in force between Cuba and the

United States.

"Such instructions have already

been sent to Hon. William Phillips

the United States minister to Canada,

stationed at Ottawa."

Ottawa.—The Canadian govern-

ment has so far received no repre-

sentations for a retroactive treat-

youthful

law.

between Canada and the United

States to permit of the extradition of

Canadians accused of violation of

the United States prohibition law.

The suggestion of the United States

for a conference in respect to a pos-

sible revision of the anti-smuggling

treaty of 1924, between the two coun-

tries, it was officially stated, is still

under consideration by the Dominion

government.

A definite decision in

this regard is expected to be made

shortly.

GRADING SYSTEM DOES NOT FAVOR THE PRODUCER

Swift Current.—Vagaries of grad-

ing at country elevator points, use by

private elevator companies in this

district of illegal tickets, and frank

confession at least once sup-

ported that the system of the com-

mission is not for the benefit of

the farmer producer, were the high

lights developed at the sessions of the Saskatchewan Grain Inquiry Commission here.

The commissioners had empha-

sized before them that farmers totally

ignore the protection afforded to

them through the sample box being

locked. Several witnesses when

their complaint of bad grading had

been examined had to admit that they did not take advantage of the protection afforded them under the Grain Act by keeping their sample boxes locked with the result that in their appeal for a review their samples were set aside as not necessarily being samples of their physical grain.

When the commissioners adjourned

they left with an expression of deep

appreciation ringing in their ears.

On behalf of the 500 farmers who

had been here for two days

giving assistance to the commission in their efforts to study the whole question of grading and making an express

ion of thanks was tendered them by

Ed. Stevens, a prominent farmer and

a director of the U.P.C. for district No. 4.

Addressing the commission he

stated he felt he expressed the feelings

of the farmers present and those of

the district when he stated they appreciated the work of the commis-

sion and the evident determination of this body created by the Saskatchewan Government to get to the root of the difficulties facing the farmers.

On behalf of the commission Chief Justice Brown thanked the farmers briefly.

Record Price Paid

For Champion Steer

Animal Raised By Iowa School Boy Sold For \$8,000

Chicago.—Almost doubling the previous record price was paid for the champion steer this year, John C. Penny Company, operators of a chain of general stores throughout the United States, purchased "Dick," grand champion steer of the 1928 international livestock exposition, at a price of seven dollars a pound on the hoof.

The animal, owned and raised by

Clarence Goedecke, 12-year-old schoolboy on Iowa, weighs about 1,150 pounds and the price paid will thus amount to a trifle more than \$8,000.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

Comment, for and against, has been voiced on the closing of the schools owing to sickness. People whose children are sick have no complaint, except that their children are sick, while many whose children are well are afraid they will be sick. Mothers who are bothered with a flock of children during the working hours of the day wish the schools were open. The lazy student rejoices over the respite, while the ambitious student ponders over the loss of time from studies.

But the power of closing the school in this emergency is vested in the medical health officer. On him the responsibility rests, and though all will agree that schools should not be closed except under exceptional circumstances, his advice or decision in this case cannot be combatted.

You may sally forth in the most optimistic attitude, determined to see only the bright and happy side of human nature and individuals in general, but you are bound to run up against the gloomy mortals who are forever croaking. You have to endure them for a brief space of time, in order to try and convince them they are taking the wrong view of life and everything. Of course, some have livers that are not working just right, whilst others never attempt to cultivate the cheerful attitude which would bring happiness to themselves and others. Never was it intended that all should think alike, and one must have tolerance for the other fellow's viewpoint. But one cannot help coming to the conclusion that however much he may feel inclined to cuss such apostles of gloom, they suffer most themselves from their misery.

In the news columns the basis on which the hockey club executive is asking for support from business men and the public needs no further explanation. It is a candid statement of fact. In some instances already, when hockey has been mentioned, old scores have been dug up against past teams and those who were supposed to be managing them. The present executive has nothing to do with what happened before some of them ever lived in Coleman. There has been expressed on many occasions both during last winter and this the necessity of Coleman being represented in the Crow League. Blairmore last year was embazoned in the news columns of the dailies as being the headquarters of hockey in this corner of Alberta. Why? Because Blairmore gave its support to local boys, and they made good. Coleman citizens with pride and ambition are anxious to give Coleman boys some encouragement in the league series this year. And instead of digging into the dim and misty past, dig down and contribute two dollars for a season ticket and so help Coleman to hold up its end in the League. And the best encouragement that can be given is to turn out and show by your presence that you are willing to do your share in encouraging amateur sport among the home boys.

The doctors' offices during the past week at certain hours have resembled the sick parade in the army. A steady stream of people, some with bleary eyes and red noses, some sniffing very audibly, others trying to look cheerful in spite of the flu trying to get the best of them, have tramped up the stairs, keeping the doctors busy prescribing "number nines" and many other mysterious things to try and curb the epidemic that has seized nearly half the population. Luckily it is not of the type that caused such loss of life in 1918. But one wonders how doctors manage to be able to give the pleasant smile when they see so many gloomy countenances in a day's work. Is it because they have become hard-hearted, or because they believe that laughter is one of Nature's cures for many ills?

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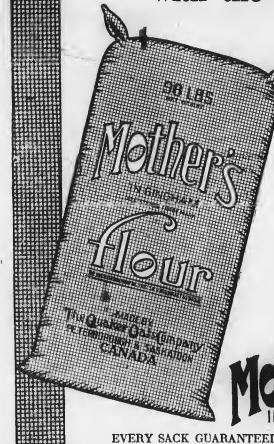
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Warning Issued Regarding Smallpox

Warning has been issued by the Provincial Department of Health to all school boards in the province that smallpox is prevalent in some localities and that suitable steps should be taken to guard against the appearance of this disease in their districts. It is pointed out by Dr. M. B. Bow, Deputy Minister of Health, that the danger of communicating this dread disease is much greater in cold weather because of the closer contacts that then occur between people gathered in schools and other public places. A large unvaccinated population, states Dr. Bow, is a menace in a community under these conditions and the best possible safeguard is vaccination.

Province Has Good Surplus for 1928

A surplus of \$279,763 for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1928, is shown in the statement issued by Hon. R. G. Reid, provincial treasurer. The revenue of the province for the fiscal period of fifteen months covered in this report was \$16,149,895 while expenditures were \$15,870,123. Substantial gains were made during the year in the volume of business handled by several departments of the government. Notable among these are increased revenues from automobile licenses and the gasoline tax. An estimate of the surplus for this period had been placed at \$46,889 and the figures actually reached have therefore been well in excess of expectations.

Legislature to Meet January 24

The Alberta Legislature will be called to meet for the forthcoming session on January 24th, 1929, it is announced by Premier Brownlee. Opening of the House at this date is subject to any unforeseen developments in connection with the sale of the government rail roads and other questions which will be included in the program of legislation for the session.

A big black bear tried to stop a Canadian Pacific freight train the other day near Arandale station in Northern Frontenac county in Ontario, and when the encounter over there was not enough of the bear to satisfy him he took a pair of nutts. Brutus evidently wandered on to the tracks during the night and was blinded by the glare of the head lights. He was found throughout Eastern Canada but are not often seen, except during the berry season, as they are night prowlers.

Addressing the Board of Trade of Vancouver, recently, E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, said that the economic prosperity in Canada is clearly indicated by four main factors: Total of railway car loadings (showing the volume of business); employment; returns of financial houses; and building construction. These indeed were of special value, he remarked, because of the wide range of activity which characterizes the corporation, the company, he added, had been greatly decreased, however, by reduced freight rates.

A unique piece of railway equipment, a dynamometer car, has been constructed by the Angus shop for the Canadian Pacific Railway. The apparatus is designed to test the performance of locomotives at various speeds and is placed between the tender and the train during operation. The forces exerted on the coupling of the car are transmitted mechanically to an instrument known as a chronograph, which records upon a moving sheet of paper. It is stronger than farce and any of its predecessors and is said to be the finest car of its kind on the continent. One of its first duties will be the testing of the new "3100" passenger locomotive of the C. P. R., the largest engine in the British Empire.

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As he watched the very recent departure of the first airplane to take off on the regular daily express service between Toronto, Montreal and New York, T. E. McDonald, president of general manager of the Canadian Pacific Express Company thought that in these lines, Tennyson had envisioned the present age, when "winged messengers of peace and commerce cross the imaginary line unchallenged".

At the time when the travelling and sleeping public will have a greater "air mindedness" and the service which his Company has pioneered will have developed into an economic factor of tremendous proportions. To meet this problem the air express services will be developed immediately Mr. McDonald will not content himself, but "air transportation must be seriously taken into account" if one would keep abreast of the times" he said. At the time when the express service between Canada by the Canadian Pacific between Rimouski, Quebec, Montreal, New York, Ottawa and Toronto in the east and Winnipeg and Calgary in the west, and these routes are very much appreciated and patronised.

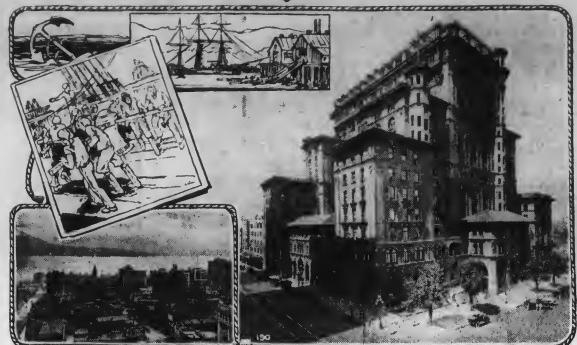
The views of the president of the Canadian Pacific

at a time when air events and features are filling the columns of the daily press are not without interest. "Aviation as a factor in commerce, transport, travel, leisure and comfort must be reckoned with on that basis" Mr. Beatty recently stated. "We have watched its development with keen interest, and while it is not possible clearly to see just in what direction or how it will develop in the near future, it has already taken its place as one of the major transport agencies. Whatever may happen in the distant future, it seems to me that at the present time there is no better prospect of expansion than in the greatly contributing factor towards present day modes of transport. It is rather as an auxiliary service to railroads and steamships that it is likely to function for some time to come. The Canadian Pacific, in my opinion, is well prepared to meet the establishment in conjunction with the Government Mail service, of an air express service and upon the success of this service will hang future development of this new factor in our economy. In this connection, I would like to state that the Canadian Pacific is doing a pioneer work in Canada. We are closely watching the development of aviation in the belief that Canada with its widely scattered centres of population offers a particularly promising field

Air transport is, of course, faster than any other and although the dare devility of some reckless, stunting pilots resulting in injury and loss of life has earned front page prominence on occasion, it is safer than automobile transport.

"Argosies of magic sails" is not a distant vision.

Now A Sea Music Festival



The Sea Music Festival January 22-26 will be staged in this, the Hotel Vancouver, which is a general view of the Pacific Coast City as viewed from the roof garden of the Hotel.

The idea of a Music Festival is not new to Vancouver, but the Festival devoted entirely to sea music, which is being organized to take place in this city during January, is the first of its kind, and as such is attracting widespread attention.

There is a vast amount of music associated with the sea, dating back as far as the Song of Miriam, which tradition says was sung to the Children of Israel, on the banks of the Red Sea, and thousands of years ago now had thought of devoting a whole series of concerts to this subject, and it is a tribute to the growing importance of Vancouver as a port, and the Canadian Pacific Railway, which is organizing this Festival, should have chosen to locate it here.

I have learned that 100 years ago since the Canadian Pacific experienced with its first Music Festival, which was held at Quebec and dealt with the folksong preserved by the French-Canadian who first introduced the old songs with them to this country three hundred years ago. That experiment met with such favor that it was repeated in 1926, more ambitious scale last Spring. Both these Festivals drew many visitors to Quebec from other parts of Canada and from the United States, the Governor-General

showing his interest by going down to attend the celebration by special train. They have had the effect of creating a better understanding of the French-Canadian people, and the lovely old melodies which had hitherto been known mostly in the backwoods of Quebec are now being heard over Canada. The leading citizens of this country are realizing that in these melodies Canada has a priceless heritage.

Following the Quebec experiment, a Scottish Musical Festival was staged at Banff, in connection with the Highland Gathering. This made such an appeal to the people of Banff that they have decided to repeat the idea at the second Festival last September.

At Winnipeg, the Canadian Pacific selected another phase of folk music, namely, in the case of the settlers of Continental European extraction, who are now generally classified as New Canadians. The festival included the old songs and the demonstrations of folksong and folk dancing was a revelation to the Anglo-Canadian. One practical result of this Festival is the projection of an open-air folk Museum, for which the City of Winnipeg has declared its readiness to provide the land on which the various racial

groups have offered to build typical peasant cottages in which their handicrafts may be permanently exhibited. Such a Museum would naturally draw tourists to Winnipeg with the tourist attraction which at present is admittedly lacking, and would also be the source of everlasting interest and pride to every thoughtful citizen of Canada.

What will result from the forthcoming Festival at Vancouver remains to be seen, but there is every assurance that it will be worth attending. A galaxy of concert stars will be supported by a number of local choirs and by the English Philharmonic Orchestra, John Goss, Jeanne Dru, Paul Draper, and the Hart House Quartet, represent but a few of the names that should attract the crowds. Most interesting and appealing will be the Sea Gathering, which P. H. Wallace, once a Captain on a Blue Nose boat and author of "Wooden Ships and Iron Men" will lead. Captain Wallace will collect stories from sailors on Canadian sailing ships, and can thus give a truly Canadian flavour to those fine old Sea Songs. The last night will have a special feature, as the Yuletide Festival which will centre around the Empress Hotel at Victoria a month earlier.

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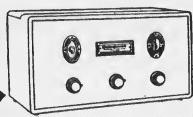
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Local News

Born—Dec 11 to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris, a son.

Special notice is given of matinées on Friday and Saturday at the Palace, when the mighty "Ben-Hur" picture will be shown.

The bazaar advertised by the Italian ladies society advertised to be held yesterday has been postponed owing to so many people being sick.

Rolling Mills Plant for Calgary

A manufacturing plant which will employ in the neighborhood of one hundred and sixty men will be built in Calgary during the coming season by the Manitoba Rolling Mills Co. of Winnipeg. It was announced during the past week, following negotiations with the city from which a tract of land had been purchased. Plans are already under way for the construction of the large modern plant which will cost some \$400,000.

You still have time to order Personal Greeting Cards at The Journal office. Your friends will appreciate receiving a message of greeting from you.

Here and There

(Continued from page 1)
The Canadian Pacific has decided on a new ferry service between Steveston on the mainland, and Sydney, Vancouver Island, according to Mr. C. C. Neelatos, manager of the B. C. Coast Steamship Service. The new service will begin early next summer, being induced by the increased demand for short water trips.

Tourists to Victoria, the capital of British Columbia, this year number 375,000, according to the Victoria Publicity Bureau. Tourist travel from Canadian points and from the west coast of the United States to the capital of the Province of Victoria, via the C. P. R. and its coastal steamship service, show an increase over last year.

New York newspaper cameramen want cowboys to do their stuff on the parapets of skyscrapers and are not content with ordinary portraits, with the newsworthy bit of observation of Guy Wendell, manager of the Calgary Stampede, who returned to Canada recently from participating in Tex Willer's Wild West Show at Madison Square Garden, New York. "They wanted real action for photographs," he said, "and we had to have police men from the top of buses on Fifth Avenue to please them."

Grain storage facilities of the harbor of Vancouver, B.C., which now exceed 3,000,000 bushels, will be largely increased next season, it is believed, in view of the fact that storage bins are already nearly full and the northward flow of grain may have to be reduced in consequence. It is being reported currently that the Alberta Wheat Pool, the Manitoba Pool, the Terminal Grain Corporation and grain companies will increase their capacity to existing terminal houses.

Over 150,000 trees have been planted along the main highways of the province of Quebec during the past two years by the Roads Department, in following out its embellishment scheme, which includes the operation of a chain of roadside nurseries along the roads. "Since the beginning of the season," states an official bulletin, "the Minister of Roads has been stressing on the importance of beautifying the roadside, so that one can now travel throughout the province on modern and perfectly maintained roads."

"Canary Környeke Alcaria," Holstein-Friesian cow belonging to the herd of Ben. H. Thompson of the York Central Railway, has been declared world's champion butter producer, according to an advice received by the owner from the live stock commissioner at Ottawa, who stated that this cow has won the world championship with an enormous margin to spare. The record of Canary Környeke Alcaria for 365 days was 1,080 pounds of butterfat, which is considerably more than any previous record holder. In the 365-day period the cow produced 26,395 pounds of milk with an average test of 4.4 butter-fat.

There is no doubt in the mind of L. S. James, of New York, as to whether man can kill a big animal being. Although the subject is a controversial one among big game hunters, decisive testimony was given in the form of the experience of Mr. James in the Mangan district, lying between Sudbury and Chapleau in Northern Ontario. He was paddling in his canoe along the shores of the Spanish River and came upon a bull moose unaware. The animal at once gave short and only by dint of having a sharp-pointed Pete Commanche, the Indian guide, was able to escape. Another canoe in rear was similarly pursued.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The Ontario government is expected to abolish the 50 cents per gallon tax on native wines.

Reports of a violent earthquake in Alma Ata, Russian Turkestan, where Leon Trotsky is living in exile, were received in Moscow. No details were given.

Twenty-five villages were submerged as a result of a storm which swept the Caspian Sea and caused the River Volga to overflow in the neighborhood of Astrakhan.

Palestine's rapid development under the British mandate is evidenced with the recent arrival at St. John's, N.B., of the first shipment of Jaffa oranges ever to reach these shores from the Holy Land.

Hermaph Treille, of Wembly, Alta., the wheat king of the west, was forced to relinquish his hold on the oats championship at the Chicago show, when first place was awarded to Ivan Gustafson, Victor, Manitoba.

The proposal that British and United States parliamentarians meet in Canada to discuss naval parity and disarmament will receive no official recognition by the United States Government.

The first trial flight of the R-100, Britain's new giant dirigible, will be made to Cardington, Bedfordshire. If the trip is successful, the airship will proceed shortly afterwards to the United States.

Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, who gained fame as commander of the operations against Zeppelin and Ostend, in April, 1918, has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Portsmouth station of the navy.

Plans for a tour of Great Britain by 800 secondary school boys of Eastern Canada, were announced at a meeting of the Collegiate Institute Board of Ottawa, by Dr. J. H. Putnam, senior inspector of Ottawa's public schools.

World's Oldest Wedded Pair

Serbian Couple Have Been Married Eighty-Nine Years

In a little Serbian village near Semlin are living probably the oldest married couple in the world. Documentary evidence proves that Demetrios Fililenovic and his wife, Zivana, were already married and living in the village where they spent their childhood days, in 1838. Demetrios was then over twenty-one. He is fifty 110, and his wife is 107.

They have lived together for eighty-nine years and are now surrounded by numerous children, grand children and great-grand children, says a writer in "Hi-De-Ho." Both are in excellent health and in the enjoyment of all their faculties. Fililenovic has never smoked nor drank spirits. He took his last glass of wine thirty years ago.

A Remarkable Ink

Nothing Could Be Added To Statement Of Producers

A concern that once produced a marking ink had the following to say about its product: "It is remarkable for requiring no preparation, penetrates powerfully, precluding previous pre-requisite preparations; possesses particular prerogatives; protects private property; prevents presumptuous pilfering persons practicing promiscuous proprietorship; pleasantly performing plain practical penmanship; perfectly precludes puerile panegyrics, preferring proper public patronage."

The only reason a great many American families don't own an elephant is that they have never been offered an elephant for a dollar down and easy weekly payments.

The average length of life of a business man is said to be two-thirds that of a farmer.

Yuma, Arizona, has only 18 cloudy days in an average year.



She: "How far we are from the trivialities of everyday life."
He: "Yes, especially beer!"—Kings, Stockholm.

W. N. U. 1763

TALENTED VOCALIST



MARION COPP

Marion Copp is a rising young contralto who will assist in the Musical Festival to be held in Vancouver January 23-26. The festival program will be interpreted by many distinguished singers, instrumentalists and choirs, and will be the music event of a decade.

RECIPES FOR THIS WEEK

(By Betty Barclay)

SALMON EN CASSEROLE

Cook 1 cup of rice; when cold line baking dish. Flake 1 cup of salmon. Beat 2 eggs, add one-third cup of milk, 1 tablespoonful of butter, pinch of salt, dash of paprika. Stir into the salmon lightly, cover lightly with rice. Steam one hour, serve with white sauce.

CINNAMON APPLES SUPREME

1 package vanilla junket.
1 pint milk.
6 apples.
1 cup sugar.
1-1/2 cup water.
3 tablespoons red cinnamon candies.

1 tablespoon lemon juice.
Peel and core apples and place in baking pan. Make a syrup by boiling the sugar, water and cinnamon candies together for 5 minutes; add lemon juice. Pour syrup over apples and bake until tender, basting several times. Place apples in individual dishes, adding a little syrup. When cool, pour vanilla junket according to directions on package and fill dishes. Let stand in a warm place until firm. Then chill.

CANADA'S GREAT PROSPERITY

People Can Face the Future With Every Confidence

Never in history has Canada been in such comfortable and prosperous shape or faced the future with greater confidence, and assurance. Dominion leaders reiterate this and the people of the country cannot but be aware of it. The record grain crop which the western provinces have gathered in has swelled that optimism generated in all phases of activity. Each successive month of the year has but served to brighten the prospect in all phases of Canadian endeavor, and all figures of employment have been broken back to the height of post-war activity in 1920. Construction, manufacturing, transportation, mining, trade, communications and services all record substantial and encouraging gains.

AN ANCIENT ROADWAY

BUILT ACROSS MEXICO IS PROBABLY OLDEST ON NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT

The old Spanish road, built across Mexico in the sixteenth century is believed to be the oldest road on the North American Continent. It was built in the form of a letter "Y" with the lower point of the stern starting at Vera Cruz on the gulf. The northern prong touches the Pacific at San Blas, and the southern tip at Acapulco. Because of this road the westbound convoys from the Philippines were spared the dangerous navigation around Cape Horn. There is still evidence of this old trail was used by the Indians before the Spaniards broadened it from a pack-mule path to a highway.

PARIS HAS SMALLEST RESTAURANT

Paris boasts that it has the tiniest restaurant in the world. It is called the Petit Restaurant, situated in the Rue Hippolyte Ledas, and seats five persons, who are accommodated at one table. In spite of the increasing popularity, the proprietor refuses to enlarge the premises.

BOBBY ON HIS EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Bobby (on his eighth birthday wrote to his absent father)—"My dear papa, whenever I'm tempted to do wrong, I think of you and say, 'Get thee behind me Satan.'"

OPPOSING CONSTRUCTION
OF GERMAN WARSHIP

COUNTRY CANNOT AFFORD THIS EXPENDITURE SAY SOCIAL DEMOCRATS

There seems to be bound common sense in the argument of the German Social Democrats who are opposing the construction of the first German warship to be built since the end of the Great War. Germany can ill afford to spend the money on a lone warship which would be no match for the navies of other countries, one of the leaders declares. One warship would be a beginning, however, and it could prove a starting-point toward the development of a real navy. If Germany has aspirations toward naval power, start must be made in some direction. But with the burden of war still pressing upon her people, naval ambitions would appear to be a luxury which Germany well might forego.

ANCIENT GREEKS USED ASBESTOS

MATERIAL WHICH WITHSTANDS FIRE WAS CALLED "THE UNCONSUMABLE"

Few of the world's minerals have had a more curious history than asbestos, and few are more curious in themselves.

Though commercially merely fifty years old it was known to the ancients. The Greeks called it "the unconsumable," whilst the Tartars and the Assyrians were aware of the strange, fiber-like rock that could withstand fire.

Its earliest known use was for the shrouds of kings, whose dead bodies were wrapped in asbestos cloth, so that their ashes might be kept separate from those of the funeral pyre.

MUST BE IMPROVING

"Yes," he said, "I think the world is getting better."

"And may I ask why?" she answered.

For a moment he twirled the ring she had just handed back to him, held it in such a position as to make it flash brightly, and then replied: "This is the first time I have ever had an engagement ring returned without a fight or a protest!"

These facts were determined by Dr. C. U. Boys, a British physicist, who has been attempting to make photographs for the last twenty-six years, until a stroke of lightning in New York at last gave him this information.

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DOMINION CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 18

PAUL AND HIS FRIENDS

GODEN TEST: "A friend loveth at all times."—Proverbs 17:17.

LESSON: Acts 20:32-38; Romans 14:1-4; Philippians 2:25-30; Philemon.

DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 63:1-7.

EXPLANATIONS AND COMMENTS

The Salvation of the Letter, verses 1-3. Timothy is with Paul and John, the priests of the Church Jesus. Paul writes in sending greetings to Philemon, their beloved fellow-worker, and to Apphia and Archippus, presumably his wife and son. He tells the church that meets in his house, "Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ."

Thanksgiving for Philemon's faith and love, and service, who presided over the provincial convention of the party at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, recently.

J. R. MacNicol, president of the Dominion Conservative Association, who presided over the provincial convention of the party at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, recently.

MYSTERIES OF LIGHTING

SCIENTISTS HAVE DISCOVERED PRECIOUS FACTS NOT KNOWN BEFORE

Scientists have now succeeded in measuring lighting. They state that a flash takes about one-seventh of a second to complete itself, and no part of it lasts more than approximately one-thirty-five hundredths of a second. This is the first time in history that the speed of a lightning flash has been measured.

It has also been proved that lightning starts from the clouds and the ground at nearly the same instant, and approximately one-seventh of a second later the two ends unite in mid-air.

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NEW YORK'S NEWEST CLUB

AIMS TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS TO MOTORIST AND PEDESTRIAN

There are clubs innumerable in the automobile world, but a new one has been launched nevertheless, and it is ambitious to make its membership virtually equal to the complete roster of motorists in America. It has received a charter from the Secretary of State of New York, and its name is the Stay Alive Club. Its founders aim, in their own words, "to keep themselves from killing anybody, and to protect themselves from being killed by anybody else."

A life membership in this club costs only \$3.00, and carries with it a copy of a new book, entitled "Stay Alive!" The author is Marcus A. Dow, president of the National Safety Council, and in it he tells just how the automobile may get into thirty different kinds of motor accidents, but also how he may keep out of these same thirty kinds of accidents, if he really wants to stay alive and is willing to keep his eyes open and do a little real thinking.

More than fifty great corporations have given their hearty endorsement to the purpose and methods of the club, and it has the approval of the National Safety Council, the work of which, in many different fields, has saved innumerable lives in recent years.

NICKNAMES OF THE PAST

PERSONALITY WAS NOT CONSIDERED IN MAJORITY OF CASES

There may be something in the contention that the absence of popular nicknames for present-day political leaders—with the possible exception of "Hix"—shows a lack of personality, but it is quite probable that politicians of the past would readily have dispensed with some of the labels attached to them by their contemporaries. Wellington, the "Duke" to his admirers, was "Old Nosey" to his numerous enemies. Drougham was commonly referred to as "Beezebub" or the "Arch Flend." Peel went by the pleasant title of "Spinning Jenny." And Crevey habitually referred to Lord John Russell as "Pie and Thimble." Lord Ripon as "Imp" and the Duke of Cleveland as "Nifty-Nafy."

AN ANCIENT OBSERVATORY

A prehistoric astronomical observatory, which it is estimated was constructed in 1181 B.C., has been unearthed at Bactrav (Afghanistan). The observatory is in the form of circles of stones, which served for the observation of the annual circuit of the sun and also as a calendar.

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PLANS FOR WORLD WHEAT CONGRESS

REGINA ALREADY PREPARING FOR BIG CONFERENCE IN 1932

A building with floor space totalling ten acres will be built in Regina in connection with the World Wheat Congress which takes place during 1932.

The fact was made known in a statement at Toronto from D. T. Elderkin, secretary-manager of the Regina Exhibition Board.

Some 40 buildings will be used for exhibits, Mr. Elderkin adds, representing agriculture, industry, women's work, etc.

Preparations to be made in Regina for the conference were carefully outlined in Mr. Elderkin's report, which says in part:

"The city of Regina and the Exhibition Association have undertaken to provide accommodation.

"For the housing of the exhibits it is intended to erect a building with a floor space of up to ten acres. Some forty buildings also will be used for exhibits representing other products of agriculture, industry, women's work, school exhibits, fine arts, etc.

"The stadium provides seating for 7,000 people and the armory 8,000. Should conditions indicate the need for a larger meeting place the grandstand will be available for seating for 20,000 people. A system of amphitheaters will be installed for the Grain Congress," Mr. Elderkin said, "so that a vast audience will be able to hear the addresses. It is intended to have at least six or eight small halls where the various sections may have their meetings.

"It is planned to reserve hotel accommodation for distinguished visitors.

"The loyalty of the citizens of Regina can be counted upon to open their homes to the rest as was done in the capital during the poultry congress.

"The city of Regina will be asked to provide tent city for the accommodation of about ten thousand visitors, while provisions will be made for locating the thousands who will come in motor cars and bring their own camping equipment. It is intended to provide sleeping accommodation for as many as 50,000 visitors."

It was pointed out that the congress would coincide with the 50th anniversary of the beginning of agricultural development in the mid-west as a result of the establishment of railway transportation. It would also be the 50th anniversary of Regina which was selected in 1882 as the site for the capital of what was then the Northwest Territories.

The preliminary prize list committee includes: Dr. J. H. Grisdale, deputy minister of agriculture, chairman; J. A. Mooney, G. H. Clarke, L. H. Newman and D. T. Elderkin.

The prize list, as suggested by the committee's report, calls for prizes totalling \$25,000.

In the wheat section, with six varieties of wheat, a total of \$15,000 in prizes is offered for each variety or \$900 in all. The manifestly less important grains offer smaller prizes.

The general committee as accepted includes: Hon. W. R. Motherwell, chairman; Hon. James Robb, Hon. C. A. Dunning, Hon. James Malcolm, Hon. Robert Forde, together with the provincial minister of agriculture, the representatives of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Canadian Miller's Association, Canadian Packers' Association, Canadian Malting Association, Canadian Press Association, and the deans of all agricultural colleges.

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"All my life has been without a spot."

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

Still no answer, but a low silvery laugh was proof that the occupant of the nest was not a wraith.

"If you are a fairy," he persisted, "won't you come down and give me a Tarpsichorean exhibition in the fairy room on the floor of your enchanted glade?"

"I am a dryad," came the duteous tone of a childlike voice, "and a dryad's life is bound up in her tree. I cannot leave my arboreal power until the hour of midnight."

"Well see about that," laughed Donald as he seized the slender cedars and rocked them violently.

A scream of simulated fear came from the tree-tops. "Stop!" the voice cried. "It'll come down."

A tiny moccassined foot felt its way to a limb, and a slight figure clad in men's overalls and a brown cotton shirt, stood erect with downcast eyes. "Jump," invited Donald, as he stood with arms outstretched: "fairies don't weigh much."

The "dryad" shook her head bashfully, then with a quick, bird-like motion sprang straight out into the air, her golden hair streaming and flashing in the sunshine. She landed gracefully on her moccassined feet and went bounding across the valley, leaping the creek with the ease and grace of an antelope, and, without turning her head, disappeared in the dark forest glades.

Donald's black eyes remained fixed on the spot where the fairy-like vision vanished from view. His whole attitude registered astonishment. He was completely mystified by the appearance of a girl in this remote wilderness.

He climbed the trees for a glimpse of the golden-haired fairy's bower. A rope was tied around the tops of four cedars, with interlacing of cord between. This rope pocket was filled with pine boughs, and these covered with ferns and moss. A cord that led to a nearby spruce was, he decided, used to impart a swinging motion to this strange maiden's cosy retreat.

In the centre of this cosy nest lay a copy of "Tennyson's Poems" and a book on "Bird Life." As Donald leaned closer a gentle breeze fluttered the leaves of the book of poems. "Fairy hands turned to the right

page," he mused aloud as he read these lines from "Maud."

"My wings with the shining head. My own head with the tender eye. Shuts out, little head, sunning over with curls."

To the flowers, and be their sun."

"A corner of dreamland," murmured Donald.

A stronger breeze swept down the valley, causing the nest to rock with gentle undulations. "A novel idea," he thought, "and what a restful spot to sleep and dream!"

Donald was tempted to finish his nap in the vacated dryad's nest, but put the thought aside being sacrifice. He descended to the ground, picked up his basket and started down the mountain. As he neared the lake, he saw the trapper with Douglas and Andy sitting outside the cabin door.

"Any luck, ol' timer?"

Donald lifted the lid of the basket. "Whew!" ejaculated the trapper. "Them's wallopers, ain't they?"

"John," queried Donald as he sat down on the grass, "did you ever see a dryad?"

"A what?"

"A dryad."

The trapper's wrinkled face puckered. "Yeah," he answered quizzically. "I seen lots of them fellers in Vancouver one time after I'd bin drinkin' for a week."

Donald told of his meeting with the strange child of the forest. "Who is she, John?" he asked.

"That was little Connie Wainwright. She an' her father live in a little valley 'other side of that bluff," pointing up the mountain. "She's a great kid, too. She has a boss that's named after a horse that has wings. I forgot the name she calls him." The trapper pondered for a moment.

"Pegasus," prompted Donald. "That's it. She rides that horse like a Texas Ranger, an' she's a crack shot with the rifle. Funny thing, though, she ain't ever shot anything to do with knowledge 'cept a couger that I helped to get her deer. Her father's just the sort, all he won't kill nothin' an' they're not all the birds 'round their cabin as tame as chickens. They are always studyin' birds, now, an' animals. He an' his wife of education, an' he's educated the kid, too. Was the 'Breed' with her?"

"It's a half-breed Indian with a lame leg. He came over the trail 'bout two years ago. Got one look at that shiny-haired kid an' thought she was an angel, I guess, an' has been banthin' her ever since. He built herself a cabin up there. Works for Wainwright in the summer an' traps in the winter. He rollers that kid round like a dog rollers its master."

Donald was interested.

"I must call on them."

"I'll be glad to see ye, as ye can talk his lingo. His language is too high-falutin' for me. He sometimes comes to ask me 'bout the habits of animals, but I got a sneakin' notion that he knows more 'bout it than I do."

That evening Donald and Andy visited the reclusive.

CHAPTER IX.

The trail to Wainwright's cabin was a mere path followed the vagaries of a small mountain stream which at times flowed with a tranquil murmur, then suddenly plunged into creamy foam on the worn rocks below.

Out of breath from the steep climb, Donald and Andy sat down as they reached the bluff. Everywhere was the song of birds and the whispering of gentle zephyrs laden with fragrance.

"What, now, what ch' we-e-e-e?" sounded the shrill hunting call of an osprey, or "fish-hawk," as he whistled over the lake, then made his spectacular plunge and rose on high with a fish gripped in his long, powerful talons. Donald watched him carry it to his mate, who was standing guard over a big nest in the top of a dead pine. Again the male bird dropped like a bolt, struck the water with a loud splash, and disappeared below the surface for a few seconds, then rose to scatter spray in his struggles to lift himself clear of the water.

A bald eagle, from the vantage point of a tall fir, took instant note of the successful fisherman, and with a majestic swoop flew under the smaller bird. Higher and higher rose the osprey, the eagle relentlessly pursuing, until at last the intrepid bird released its hold on the prize.

The few acres wrested from the wilderness were rich with a green carpet of clover and timothy, and in a pasture at the corner a sleek Jersey cow was feeding diligently. In the same enclosure a deer nibbled delicately at the tender shoots. A flock of white ducks, in single file, waddled down the hill and plunged with a subdued quacking into a small pond. Within a yard enclosed by a fence of split cedar the hustly

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like a dancing dervish. Her heavy hair streaming about her face and shoulders, she seemed even more an elf than when poised for flight on the edge of her fairy nest. As she neared the bluff she settled to her seat and seized the reins.

Donald came to his feet. For a moment it seemed as if he were to be passed unnoticed. He ran to the trail and raised his arm with a yell coming short. This brought him a flash of startled big eyes, then the caress with a snort of fear went straight up into the air, spinning high on his hindlegs. A sharp word of command and a quick twist of the nut-brown hands caused the frightened beast to turn tail and run, his forelegs gently to the ground. As he stepped to the causeway's head Donald noted the lean and sinewed flanks of the animal, the strong muscled shoulders, and the slender but powerful limbs. He stroked the shiny neck and Pegasus made answer to such advances by rubbing his nose against Donald's shoulder.

"Nothing mythical about this steed," observed Donald, gently produng the bounding muscles on the horse's chest. "And," he added jestingly, "I do not see the golden bribe presented by the giddiness to Bellerophon while he slept."

A subtle flicker danced momentarily in the corners of the blue orbs of the rider. "I have clipped his wings," so I have no need of the magic bribe," she said smilingly.

The voice was gentle and mellow. The pronunciation, clear and perfect, had a trace of English accent that was pleasing to Donald's ears. One could not look upon Connie without thinking of flowers, birds and sunshine. Constant exercise had turned her muscles into cords of steel; mountain air and sunshine had darkened her face and hands to a deep bronze and bright to her cheeks a warm glow that showed richly through the coat of tan.

Connie looked on this stranger as a being infinitely beyond her ken, a person of a nature which she had no knowledge. His tall, well-knit body, his shining black hair, dark flashing eyes, his fine clothes and his deep resonant voice were a source of wonder and admiration to this girl, whose knowledge of man was limited to a few lone trappers and Indians. She was suddenly disconcerted and felt like running away.

"I was on my way to call on you. Is your father home?"

Surprised at her own boldness, Connie slipped lightly to the ground and stood beside him.

"Yes," she rejoined awkwardly, "he is. I'll go with you."

Donald spoke again, with a playful smile that caused the girl to flush with a mixture of pleasure and confusion. "I thought when I saw you poised on Pegasus' back that a close inspection would disclose a pair of transparent, gauzy wings, but," peering at her shoulders, "evidently the rider is clipped as well."

As they walked up the path, Andy following, it seemed to Connie that they were strolling through the fields of Elysium.

At first glance Donald saw that Wainwright's log cabin had been built by a rank novice. The walls were rakishly askew, the corners out of plumb, and the joints showed big gaps filled with moss. The rough construction of the dissimilar, rambling cluster of houses served to emphasize rather than mar the wild grandeur of this oasis on the rocky mountain side.

Into this valley poured a mountain stream which had gouged out for itself a canyon, through which its waters swept and tumbled, as green as jade in the sunlight, like emerald in the shadow, and snowy white in the roaring rapids.

On the other side of the cliff were edges of stunted growths of pine and spruce, while here and there were soft patches of green moss clinging to the damp pines.

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crow of a rooster sounded above the cockling of his family.

The low walls of the main cabin were festooned with a mass of wild creepers in which the wild honey-suckle predominated. Wild-flowers each species separate, were growing in neat round plots bordered with carefully arranged stones. Scores of them crept through the low bushes, rested on fences and roofs, or hopped unafraid through the grass. Siskins and finches there were in gold or olive; blue-jays and their cousins the camp-robbers; bluebirds; sparrows singing sweetly; warwicks "singing" through the garden; warblers gurgling merrily; scoldings grey fly-catchers and numerous other species unknown to Donald.

A camp-roper flew to Connell's outstretched arm. From the capacious pocket of her oversize she brought a crust of bread, at which the bird pecked hungrily. Another bird lighted on the brim of Andy's hat. The peer up at it without moving his head, and the effort set his bushy eyebrows dancing. "Get off there, you blighter!" he growled. "I don't want any bloomkin' trimmin's on my ead gear."

It was the first time Andy had spoken. Connie turned to him, her eyes wide with curiosity. His drawl face, the strange dialect and the lively eyebrows caused a flock of dimples to chase each other over her pretty lips.

Connie's father and the Breed, working in the vegetable garden below, glanced up and, seeing the strangers, laid down their tools and came up the hill, the Breed moving jerkily on his crippled limb.

Raleigh Wainwright was a man of rather striking appearance. He was slender, grey-haired, clean shissled, and carried himself with a military bearing. There was a certain finesse in the slight figure, a symmetry of design, that suggested that indefinable something which is the hallmark of good breeding. He had a way of carrying his well-shaped head that accentuated this aristocratic air. His grey eyes met Donald's with a level gaze as they shook hands.

After a cursory glance, Joe Donald, the Breed, settled himself on a seat against the wall of the cabin and rolled a cigarette. His face was swarthy and sombre; coarse black hair topped his head. In repose his features were the impassive expression of the Indian, but when he smoked the French strain in his blood and bone he became a different creature. He was of a sturdy build, though average Siwash Indian, and as he stood against the logs, with muscular arms folded across his powerful chest, one would have thought him the embodiment of all that is strong and virile in man, until the eyes rested on the pitiful malformed leg, shrunken to one-half its normal size.

"Won't you come inside?" asked Wainwright politely.

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The gypsum industry is rapidly increasing in importance. The output in 1927 was valued at nearly \$500,000, more than in 1926. Gypsum is mined in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia, but New Brunswick and Nova Scotia are the principal sources of supply. Probably the most important developments in this industry have taken place in the products manufactured from gypsum.

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Am. men going the rounds of the press cities as a somewhat remarkable record, the birth of 238 pairs of twins and 3 sets of triplets in California.

There were 2,830 pairs of twins and 38 sets of triplets born in the Dominion. In Quebec alone the pairs of twins numbered 1,104, and the sets of triplets 13.

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Andrews: "Yes, it's aner beer!"

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Prof. Floyd said that among beekeepers the struggle had been interesting in that it had been until now an open question as to whether the honey from sweet clover was equal to that from alfalfa. Alfalfa clover is the predominating source of honey in eastern Canada, while sweet clover holds that position in the west. The eastern producer sells the bulk of his honey to Western Canada, so had it turned out, that the eastern samples had won, it would not have been so satisfactory to the western producer.

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Some Useful Christmas Suggestions

Leather Goods

A large range from .50 to \$10.00

Lamps and Lamp Shades

Lamp Shades \$3.65 and \$4.50
Bed Room Lamps \$5.50 to \$7.50

Flash Lights, Shaving Sets

Cigar Holders, Etc.

Flash Lights, Shaving Sets, Pocket Knives, Cigar Holders, Cigarette Holders, Cigarette Lighters, Tobacco Pouches and Cigar Cases

Cigars, Tobaccos, Pipes

Cigars, Tobaccos, the best selected stock in the Pass. Boxes of 10's, 25's and 50's in popular lines.

Pipes of all kinds and all prices.

Ash Trays .35 to \$4.00
Cigarette Boxes \$1.00 to \$4.00
Cigarette Cases .50 to \$4.50

Razors, Shaving Brushes

Gillette Safety Razors \$1.00 to \$5.00
Auto Stop Razors \$1.00 to \$15.00
Straight Edge Razors .35 to \$8.00

Books, Thermos Kits

Book Ends .20 to .50
Latest Fiction \$2.00 and \$2.50
Birthday Books, Reprints \$1.25
Thermos Kits, Genuine \$2.15 to \$4.50
Thermos Bottles and Fillers

Ebony Brushes, Military Sets

Ebony Brushes, Military Sets, Combination Rolls. We can fit them to suit.

Candies and Chocolates

Fancy boxes of Christmas Candy .25 to \$6.00
Guaranteed net weight.

Greeting Cards, Etc.

Christmas Greeting Cards, Tags, Seals and Stickers.

Rubber Aprons, Manicure Rolls, Etc.

Fancy Rubber Aprons \$1.50 to \$18.00
Manicure Rolls Handy Roll Ups, Sponge Bags

The above mentioned articles are only a few of the many nice things you will find here for the Festive Season.

H. C. McBURNEY DRUGGIST AND STATIONER

Main Street

Coleman, Alta.



Personal and Local

"The Heart of a Nation," with George Sidney, will be played at the Palace next week.

Copy for advertising in the Christmas issue of The Journal should be prepared and in the office on Monday next.

A start has been made on the erection of the street lights promised some time ago. The delay is caused through non-arrival of material. It is hoped to have them completed within a week or two.

Coleman stores offer some splendid articles for Christmas. Read the advertisements in this issue and the next for suggestions, which will make your shopping easier. And buy your Christmas presents in Coleman.

The picture to be shown at the Palace on New Year's day will be "The Red Dance" in which Dolores Del Rio, who came into fame as Ramona is the leading player. Commenting on the play, the New York Daily News states: "Directorially a gem and historically extra special."

The whole Dominion is talking of the great improvement in the Family Herald and Weekly Star, Montreal. At \$1 a year or three years for \$2 it is the farmer's highest dividend paying investment, and the family circle gets with it the best of all magazines free.

USE LIGHTS

When it comes to artificial light, people are a great deal like moths. They flock to the bright light. Did you ever see even first-class theatre or a successful five- and ten-cent store that was not well lighted? With a little extra light properly arranged in the most ordinary store in the block can be made to be most outstanding. Light current properly distributed costs no more than the same amount of light poorly distributed.

NO FIG LEAVES

He had spoken to her on the pier, and she was very annoyed. "I don't know you from Adam!" she exclaimed indignantly. "You ought to," he retorted. "I'm dressed differently."

BE POLITE

Politeness is one of the biggest advertising mediums any merchant can use. Yet, because it costs nothing, the real selling value is quite frequently ignored. It costs nothing to be polite and to teach clerks to be polite at all times, and it costs a lot in lost trade and ill will not to be polite.

PERSONAL STATIONERY

The Journal office will print 100 good quality envelopes for \$1.00, or 100 letter size paper for \$1.00, printing limited to three lines consisting of name and address. Cash at the time of ordering. Leave an order for your personal correspondence.

THE FULL TONE ORCHESTRA is now out for business. Saturday nights and Christmas dances. Reliable and experienced, latest music. Jas. M. Fulton, Coleman.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of Noel Lecocq, late of the Town of Coleman, Miner, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said Noel Lecocq, who died on the 2nd day of September, 1928, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of his Estate by the 12th day of January, 1929, a full statement duly verified, of their claims and any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to its knowledge.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1928.

THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY LIMITED
Public Administrator, 220 Eighth Ave.
West, Calgary, Alberta, Canada; H.
A. Howard, Manager, by their Solicitor,
R. F. Barnes, Esq., Coleman.

LEOSKY, LEDIEU & CO. PHONE 232 - Ouimet Block

Christmas Suggestions

Our stock on all Christmas lines is complete, fresh and up-to-date, do not delay in ordering.



Nuts in Shell

Our stock is complete and fresh, don't be misled by low prices on oil nuts.

Peanuts, per pound	.20
Walnuts, per pound	.20
Filberts, per pound	.25
Almonds, per pound	.35
Brazils, per pound	.35
Chestnuts, per pound	.35

Shelled Nuts

Walnuts, halves, per pound	.50
Almonds, 3 crowns, per pound	.70
Pecans, in small jars, each	.30

Dried and Glace Fruits

Green Plums Raisins, 5 lb cartons, each	.85
Market Day Raisins, 4 lb packets, each	.70
Malkin's Best Raisins, 15 oz packets, each	.20
Malkin's Best Seeded Raisins, 15 oz pkts.	.20
Currants, 12 oz packets, each	.20
Bleached Raisins, 2 pounds for	.45
California Figs, 7 oz. packets, each	.15
Excelsior Dates, 2 packets for	.25
Dried Medjool Dates, per packet	.25
Glacé Cherries, per pound	.60
Glacé Pineapples, per slice	.10

Christmas Cakes and Puddings

Oven-Kist Light, Dark, and Cherry Cakes in 2 pound boxes, each	\$1.15
Oven-Kist Christmas Puddings, each	\$1.25
Shelley's Light, Dark, and Cherry Cakes in 2 pound boxes, each	\$1.20
We also have Shelley's Cakes in 6 pound sizes, in three different varieties at per pound	.60
Shelley's Christmas Puddings, each	\$1.10

Chocolates in Fancy Boxes

Cigars, Cigarettes and Tobaccos in Christmas Wrappers

Jap Oranges, at per case \$1.35

Okanagan Apples in different varieties, and other fruits and vegetables in season, at reasonable prices.

Meat Department

In our Meat Department we expect a large stock of Turkey's, Chickens, Ducks and Geese.

In both our Meats and Grocery lines we will have everything that is required to make your Christmas Dinner an enjoyable one.

Nash's Christmas Special

3 pound tin of Nash's Gateway Tea	\$1.00
1 Fancy pair Scissors	\$1.25
Regular value	\$3.15
Christmas Special	\$2.40

QUALITY · SERVICE · LOW PRICES

Antrobus' Sell Good Shoes

Sentinel Lodge No. 25

Meet every second and fourth Thursday at 7 p.m.

Visiting Brethren Welcome

Hall is available for rent
Apply to E. C. Clarke, K. P. Block

East Coleman Property Owners Given Clear Title

People wishing to purchase lots in East Coleman will be given a clear title to their property upon payment of same.

W. A. Beebe, H. Snowden,
Blairmore, Coleman.

